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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Hiroyuki KOMAZAWA, Masayoshi KOJIMA, Tsunehiro AKI,  
Kazuhisa ONO and Masayuki KAWAKAMI  
A MICROORGANISM HAVING AN ABILITY OF PRODUCING  
DOCOSAHEXAENOIC ACID AND USE THEREOF  
Assignee: **FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q79195



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising twenty-eight (28) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and three (3) sheets of drawings. **Copies of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

|                              |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   |                   |                  |
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| Total claims                 | <u>20</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = | <u>          </u> | x | \$18.00 | = | <u>          </u> | \$0.00           |
| Independent claims           | <u>4</u>  | - | <u>3</u>  | = | <u>          </u> | x | \$86.00 | = | <u>          </u> | \$86.00          |
| Base Fee                     |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   |                   | \$770.00         |
| Multiple Dependent Claim Fee |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   |                   | \$290.00         |
| <b>TOTAL FEE</b>             |           |   |           |   |                   |   |         |   |                   | <b>\$1146.00</b> |

The Office is hereby directed and authorized to charge the statutory filing fee of \$1146.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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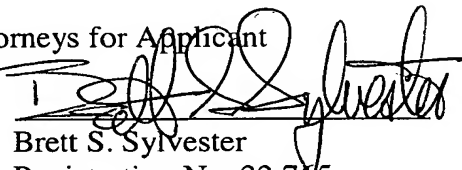
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The priority documents will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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